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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant:	Adam W. Cates et al.	Examiner:	Scott M. Getzow
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Title:	CHRONICALLY-IMPLANTED DEVICE FOR SENSING AND THERAPY		

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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
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This responds to the Office Action mailed on February 27, 2004. This Response is accompanied by a Petition, as well as the appropriate fee, to obtain a one-month extension of the period for responding to the Office Action, thereby moving the deadline for response from May 27, 2004 to June 27, 2004.

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